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#### **Abstract**

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**PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED:** To obtain one set of position information by providing a plurality of different position detection means with respect to one and same position and selecting any of the position detection means based on factors consisting of precision of position detection, a cost relating to the detection and whether or not the detection means are available at a current position as evaluation criteria.

**SOLUTION:** Each of mobile terminals 1 has three systems for detecting position by means of CPS, a very weak radio wave and reception of an infrared ray. Some of the mobile terminals 1 have different position detectors 6 (herein called systems A, B, C). After a format converter 7 unifies the detection results in a unified form a controller 8 is used to control the converter 7 and extracts the result as required. The controller 8 uses data (evaluation table) that are evaluation criteria stored in a storage device 9 to select a position detection system. In this case, an input output device 10 is used to send a confirmation message, if required, to the user to obtain its approval.

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#### **CLAIMS**

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#### **DESCRIPTION**

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